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Wednesday, January 16, 1963, at 6 P.M.

READING OF RECORDS BUSINESS BALLOT ON CANDIDATES

NO WORK

MEMBERS \$1.00 DINNER AND ENTERTAINMENT 6:30 P.M. GUESTS \$3.00

Robert Gardiner Wilson Jr., Recorder Harold F.W. Hodgson, Commander

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SPECIAL NOTICE

BOSTON COMMANDERY YORK RITE NIGHT in Ionic Hall, Boston, Wednesday, January 9, 1963 at 7:45 P.M.

It is IMPORTANT THAT YOU BE PRESENT WITH THAT BLUE LODGE BROTHER, OR CHAPTER or COUNCIL COMPANION, YOU MAY WISH TO INTEREST IN BOSTON COMMANDERY.

THE HERMAN C. MC STAY FUND

At our Conclave on December 19, 1962, on motion of Em. Sir Frank B. Ells it was voted that the current account, known as the Herman C. McStay Fund, has been annually increasing until the day when our late frater would have become Grand Commander of Knights Templar, shall now be left in tact in a permanent fund, together with accrued interest and such additional sums as may be added from time to time, with the income there from to be available for the relief and aid of deserving Sir Knights. It is hoped that Sir Knights from time to time may add to this fund and aid in its charitable purposes.

TEMPLAR CHRISTMAS CHEER APPEAL

In our December notice your Eminent Commander gratefully acknowledged the receipt, up to that time, of individual donations to this annual Templar Fund. Additional donors now include the following:

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Order of the Temple in Full Form

Entitled: Frederic C. R. Steward and John R. Kapolis

Members: \$1.00

Dinner at 6:30 p.m.

Visitors \$3.00

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Monday, Feb. 18, 1963 at 5:30 p.m. REHEARSAL officers and guards.

On Wednesday January 2 the following Sir Knights of Boston Commandery raised Bro. Warren H. Clark in Joseph Webb Lodge of Boston in long form: K. C. Arnold, J. C. Bayley, A. C. Blake, F. E. Brown, E. E. Chase, J. E. Eaton, C. D. Harrington, T. T. Hodge, H. F. W. Hodgson, L. S. Hibbard, F. W. L. Miles, C. E. Pedersen, J. Reid, G. A. Schlaugk, F. S. Treco, J. W. Zolner, -- Sir Knights Bayley, Eaton, Hodgson, and Zolner all being Past Masters in Joseph Webb Lodge.

EVERY CHRISTIAN Mason should be a Knight Templar. Your Commandery and Em.

Sir Bayley has complete lists of interested Masons who attended our big York Rite Night on January 9, giving the address, date of birth, home Blue Lodge, and date of raising, in each case.

Have YOU sponsored a Commandery candidate recently? Ask for the name of a potential member in your home town or Blue Lodge. Do it NOW. It may be later than you think!



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Wednesday, March 20, 1963, at 6 p.m.

Full Form Opening.

Reading of Records Business Ballot on candidates

Presentation of Long Service (40 year) Medals to:

Sir Knight Frederick T. Goodman, knighted Feb. 19, 1913
Em. Sir Knight Frederic B. Duncan, knighted August 8, 1918
Em. Sir Knight Harold A. Budreau, knighted April 26, 1922
Sir Knight Albert M. Aznive, knighted Jan. 17, 1923

Members \$1.00 only Dinner at 6:30 p.m. Guests \$3.00

Work

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and Order of Malta
Entitled (if same have received required prerequisite degrees):

Dudley B. Dumaine	Stanley C. Swanson	Howard H. Anderson
Van Robert Roxbrough	Charles M. Davis	Sam M. Apkarian
William A. Katsenes	Richard M. King	Merle E. Gardner
Robert J. Whitney		Richard W. Boyden

and such others as may be elected and qualified.

Robert Gardiner Wilson Jr., Recorder Harold F.W. Hodgson, Commander

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Boston Commandery recently received a generous bequest of \$2,000 from the late widow of our former outstanding Past Commander Em. Sir George U. Bauer. Em. Sir Bauer served as our Eminent Commander 1916-1918 with distinction. He was knighted on May 22, 1905. He was High Priest of St. Paul's Chapter in 1926 and Illustrious Master of Boston Council in 1923. Your Recorder remembers with pleasure the fact that he was elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery during Em. Sir Bauer's final term as Commander and later appointed in line by him in St. Paul's Chapter and Boston Council.

Knightly gratitude is due the officers and Sir Knights of Holy Sepulchre Commandery #8 of Pawtucket, Rhode Island, who conducted funeral services for Boston Commandery on February 13, 1962 on the occasion of the recent passing of Sir Knight Douglas W. Foster.

Dates to remember:

March 18, 1963	Rehearsal for Red Cross & Malta
March 20, 1963	Order of the Temple
March 30, 1963	Grand Commander's Ball. Sponsored by the Presiding Council's Club.

April 1, 8, 12 & 15 at 5:30 p.m.

Rehearsals for Inspection
April 17, 1963 ANNUAL INSPECTION

May 12, 1963 Templar Parade. Haverhill Commandery 100'th Anniversary.
May 19, 1963 Communion Breakfast.

June 8, 1963 All Masonic Night at Boston Garden.

Where is YOUR candidate?

This is March! There are three (3) months remaining in this Templar year. GET the name of that candidate of yours for ballot on March 20. Our Commandery is still the oldest, -- and the largest in New England. Net membership losses won't keep us there! We have accepted 17 applications since September 1.

IN MEMORIAM

We regret to list the following losses from our ranks reported since September 1, 1962:

Edward W. Fudge of Somerville	December 7, 1961
Silvio J. Martone of Arlington	January 7, 1962
Lawrence H. Woodbury of Brewster	July 29, 1962
Gideon M. Allen of Waterbury, Conn.	August 17, 1962
Jasper W. Dilling of Florida	September 25, 1962
Frank R. McPherson of Brookline	October 2, 1962
Clayton Stoddard of Everett	October 20, 1962
Em. Sir Herman C. McStay	November 28, 1962
Francis C. Bell of East Boston	November 23, 1962
Howard C. Connor of Brookline	December 12, 1962
Eardley F. Nowers of Orleans	January 5, 1963
Everett J. Henderson of West Dennis	February, 1963
Douglas W. Foster of Pawtucket, R. I.	February 11, 1963

The thirty-third Annual Arlington Easter Sunrise Memorial Service will be held in the Amphitheatre of the Arlington National Cemetery on Easter Sunday morning, April 14, 1963. The Assembly, in full Templar Uniform, will begin at 7 AM SHARP at the West Gate (near Fort Myers) the lines will move promptly at 7:10 AM for the march to the Amphitheatre. Music will be furnished by the U. S. Marine Band, and the address will be given by The Reverend Edward L. R. Elson, Pastor of the National Presbyterian Church, an outstanding speaker.

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Business of the Conclave

Ballot on Candidates

ANNUAL INSPECTION

BY

Em. Sir G. Burton Long, Grand Captain General

assisted by

Em. Sir Albert E. C. Carpenter, Deputy Grand Warder

6:00 p.m. (sharp) Full Form Opening
6:30 p.m. (dinner) NO CHARGE for members. Guests \$3.00
7:45 p.m. (sharp) Reception of Inspecting Officer
Inspection and Review. Official Count
Completion of the work.

9:00 p.m. Suite to Retire

- SPECIAL NOTICE -

The presence of Sir Knights of Boston Commandery for the official count at 8:00 p.m. is urgently needed for our official inspection mark.

SIR KNIGHTS, STAND UP AND BE COUNTED.

Dinner is without charge to MEMBERS

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May 15, 1963	-----	Stated Conclave
May 19, 1963	-----	Communion Breakfast escort Parade Copley Square in Boston.
June 8, 1963	-----	All Masonic Night at Boston Garden.

WHERE IS YOUR CANDIDATE THIS YEAR?

To date we have received the following:

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Em. Sir Hodgson produced four candidates, and Sir Knights Zolner, and Ladas have each produced three.

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Business of the Conclave

Ballot on Candidates

Order of the Temple

Dinner at 6:30 P.M.

Members \$1

Reservation by card only

Guests \$3.00

Dates to Remember

May 12, 1963 Haverhill Commandery 100'th Anniversary Templar Parade

May 13, 1963 Rehearsal of officers and guards

May 16, 1963 Aleppo Shrine Ceremonial

May 19, 1963 Communion Breakfast escort parade Copley Square

June 8, 1963 All Masonic Night

June 19, 1963 Annual Election of Officers. Action on Delinquents

DUES

Action on delinquents is scheduled for Wednesday, June 19, 1963.

Are you one of the 123 Sir Knights, -- some 10 percent of our membership, -- not yet square with the books?

CANDIDATES?

We work the Order of the Temple this month. If our Sir Knights will produce the eligible candidates we are ready to work all Orders at our June Conclave.

THANK YOU SIR KNIGHTS

Dear Sir Knights:

A sincere "thank you" to the 247 loyal Sir Knights of our beloved Commandery who found it possible to participate in our Annual Inspection of April 17. Your attendance earned us that necessary credit towards the mark of 10- which we received. Many thanks also to the officers and guards for their attendance at needed rehearsals, and for the splendid manner they stood up under fire on Inspection Night. Our one note of regret was the absence of our late past commander Herman C. McStay whose assignment it would have been to represent Grand Commandery as Commander of the First Division at this annual Big Night.

Fraternally,

Harold F. W. Hodgson

Did Silent Cal borrow from Templary Ritual

or

Did Templary adopt Coolidge oratory?

Em. Sir Harold Budreau has produced the following clipping from the "New York Times," issue of June 16, 1925:

COOLIDGE SAYS FLAG REPRESENTS OUR HOPE - Stars and Stripes Alone,
He Declares, Stand for the Sovereignty of the People.

CHICAGO, June 15 -- A Flag Day message from President Coolidge, received today by Dr. B. J. Cigrand, President of the National Flag Day Association, declared the Stars and Stripes "alone of all flags expresses the sovereignty of the people." The message reads:

When the people of the Colonies were defending their liberty against the might of kings they chose their banner from the design set in the firmament through all eternity. The flags of great empires of that day are all gone, but the Stars and Stripes remain.

It pictures the vision of a people whose eyes were turned to the rising dawn. It represents the hope of a father for his posterity. It was never flaunted for the glory of a royalty but, to be born under it is to be a child of a king and to establish a home under it is to be a founder of a royal house.

Alone of all flags it expresses the sovereignty of the people, which endures when all else passes away. Speaking with their voice it has the sanctity of revelation. He who lives under it and is loyal to it, is loyal to truth and justice everywhere. He who lives under it and is disloyal to it, is a traitor to the human race everywhere. What could be saved if the flag of the American nation were to perish.

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- Final action on Delinquents
- NO WORK

Dinner at 6.30 P.M.

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Are you numbered among the 100 Sir Knights, out of a total membership of 1165, NOT YET SQUARE WITH THE BOOKS?

Haverhill Commandery 100th Anniversary Parade

The following 17 loyal Sir Knights of Boston Commandery turned out in uniform at Haverhill on Sunday May 12th: Em. Sirs Harold F. W. Hodgson, Frankland W. L. Miles and Robert S. Andrews and Sir Knights K. A. Tweedie, F. E. Brown, J. Zolner, R. D. Crook, K. Arnold, M. Austin, F. Chapman, J. Coulter, J. Eagleston, M. H. Fischer, C. Hunnewell, R. Hunnewell, J. Meikle and A. Swide.

Protestant Layman's Communion Service, Breakfast & Parade

The following 23 Loyal Sir Knights of Boston Commandery turned out in Uniform in Boston on Sunday May 19th: Em. Sirs Harold F. W. Hodgson, Gustav Schlaugk, Frank B. Ells, George Locus and Frankland W. L. Miles; also Sir Knights Kenneth Tweedie, Frank E. Brown, John W. Zolner, K. Arnold, M. Austin, E. C. Bishop J. Coulter, R. D. Crook J. Crasco, J. Eagleston, M. H. Fischer, L. Hibbard, C. Hunnewell, R. Hunnewell, F. Rixmann, C. Smith, A. Swide and R. Wilton.

Templar Funeral on Friday May 24, 1963

The following 14 Sir Knights of Boston Commandery were in attendance at Special Conclave to conduct funeral services for our late Sir Knight Elmer M. Stearns on Friday, May 24th at Watson Funeral Home; Em. Commander H. F. W. Hodgson, Generalissimo G. S. Borek, our Prelate C. E. Pederson, Senior Warden K. A. Tweedie, Past Commander George Locus, and Sir Knights K. Arnold, R. D. Crook, M. H. Fischer, L. Hibbard, J. Meikle, J. Paynter, C. R. Smith, W. Stavropoulos and A. Swide. Sir Knight Stearns, born on January 14, 1876, was a Templar for over 60 years, having originally been Knighted in Hugh de Payens Commandery of Keene, New Hampshire, on March 24th, 1899, and affiliated with Boston Commandery since March 12th 1952.

APPLICATIONS FOR THE ORDERS

During the current Templar year our 24 applications to receive the Orders have been sponsored by the following: Em. Sir Hodgson 4; Rt Em. Sir Wilson 3; Sir Knights John W. Zelner and S. V. Ladas 3 each; and one each by Sir Knights A. R. Anderson, R. E. Blazo Sr., C. W. Hunnewell, A. A. Magnus, A. Mac William, J. Reid, W. Stavropoulos, W. C. Sutherland, A. G. Swide, K. A. Tweedie and C. F. Wyman.

If you are resident in Metropolitan Boston, your Emminent Commander urges a little extra effort on your part to join the 15 Sir Knights listed above by presenting an application at our June 19th or our September 18th Conclave.

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*E. Sir Rinaldo Buren Richardson 1902-04
*E. Sir Richard Arey Atwood 1904-06
*E. Sir Charles Stanhope Damrell 1906-08
*Rt. E. Sir James Stone Blake 1908-10
*E. Sir Jesse Edwin Ames 1910-12
*E. Sir Albert R. Stedfast 1911-12
*E. Sir Leonard Warren Ross 1912-13
*E. Sir Frederick Claridge Graves 1913-14
*E. Sir Joseph Totten Paul 1914-16
*E. Sir George Urban Bauer 1916-18
*E. Sir Charles William Howard 1918-20
*E. Sir Walter Bradley Tripp 1920-21
*E. Sir Wm. J. Kavanaugh 1921-22
*Rt. E. Sir Frederick H. Briggs 1921-23

Service Committee & Aid to the Commander
EM. SIR CHARLES D. HARRINGTON
EM. SIR HOWARD L. MACODRUM†
Captain of the Guard
SIR ROBERT B. WILTON†
Captain of the Guard Emeritus
SIR ROWLAND D. CROOK
Lieutenant of the Guard
SIR LEO S. HIBBARD
Guards, Escort and Red Cross Team
SIR ALBERT ADAIR
SIR KENNETH C. ARNOLD
SIR MANSFIELD AUSTIN†
SIR ELMER C. BISHOP†
SIR RALPH E. CLARK†
SIR WILLIAM T. COWING
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SIR HAPPY P. EDWARDS†
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SIR RUNO S. JOHNSON†
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SIR RALPH U. LIBBY
SIR CHARLES W. LINSKOTT†
SIR GORDON P. LUTHER†
SIR GURNEY H. MACDONALD
SIR EARDLEY F. NOWERS
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SIR FREDERICK ROHRBACKER
SIR FRED H. RIXMANN
SIR HENRY B. ROBERTSON†
SIR JOHN E. RONBECK†
SIR CHARLES R. SMITH†
SIR WILLIAM STAVROPOULOS†
SIR ALBERT SWIDE†
SIR ERNST TRUITT
SIR CARL B. TURNER†
SIR ARTHUR VELLELA†
SIR EDWARD H. CASEY, Emeritus
†Indicates member of Red Cross Team

Past Commanders
*E. Sir George Thomas Wiley 1923-25
*E. Sir Thomas Davidson 1925-26
*E. Sir Frank Oscar Clark 1925-27
*E. Sir Frederick B. Duncan 1926-27
*E. Sir James W. Crooks 1926-27
*E. Sir Henry E. Keough 1927-28
*E. Sir Charles Lyman Hamilton 1927-29
*E. Sir Francis E. Homer 1929-30
*E. Sir Harold A. Budreau 1929-30
*E. Sir John R. Vaughan 1929-31
*E. Sir William Parker Bullard 1931-32
*E. Sir Clarence N. Mareden 1931-32
*E. Sir Robert Gardiner Wilson 1931-33
*E. Sir Frederick T. Thornton 1932-33
*E. Sir Hans C. Kleemann 1932-33
*E. Sir S. Franklin Bell 1933-34
*E. Sir William A. Odell 1933-34
*E. Sir Elmer Granville Page 1933-35
*E. Sir Gustave A. Schlaugk 1934-35
*E. Sir Frederick W. Alexander 1935-36
*E. Sir T. James Ferguson 1935-36
*E. Sir John Axel Johnson 1936-37
*E. Sir Clifford L. Erving 1936-37
*E. Sir James Gilman Barnes 1937-38
*E. Sir Walter L. James 1937-38
Rt. E. Sir Robert G. Wilson, Jr. 1938-40
*E. Sir John B. DeKorte 1938-40
*E. Sir Stephen E. Kirkpatrick 1939-40
*E. Sir Lorin Elliott Lewis 1940-41
*E. Sir Walter Earl Duncan 1941-42
*E. Sir James S. W. Rogers 1942-44
*E. Sir Frank Brown Ellis 1944-46
*E. Sir Wallace E. Crowley 1946-47
*E. Sir Fred H. Wilcke 1946-48
Rt. E. Sir Alfred Colcord Blake 1947-49
*E. Sir Herman C. McStay 1949-51
*E. Sir William M. Heiligmann 1951-52
*E. Sir James C. Bayley 1952-54
*E. Sir John Reid 1954-56
*E. Sir Charles D. Harrington 1956-58
*E. Sir Howard L. MacOdrum 1958-59
*E. Sir George Locus 1959-60
*E. Sir Robert S. Andrews 1960-61
*E. Sir Frankland W. L. Miles 1961-62
*Deceased
Honorary Member
Most Worshipful
SIR THOMAS SHERRARD ROY
Trustees of Permanent Fund
Em. Sir Harold F. Hodgson Ex Officio
Em. Sir Frank B. Ellis Ex Officio
Em. Sir James C. Bayley '63
Em. Sir Harold A. Budreau '64
Em. Sir James S. W. Rogers '65

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REGULAR CONCLAVE THIRD WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH

STATED CONCLAVE OF BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

will be held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston

Wednesday, September 18, 1963, at 5:30 P. M.

Business Meeting

Reading of Records Annual Reports Ballot on Qualified Candidates

Public Installation of Officers at 6:15 P. M.

R. Em. Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr. , Installing Officer

Em. Sir Frank B. Ells, Deputy Grand Warder

Rev. Sir Charles E. Pedersen, Prelate

Special Dinner at 7:15 P. M.

Steuben's Vienna Room, 120 Boylston Street

Members \$2.50 Sir Knight and Lady \$4.00 a Couple All other guests \$5.00

(One dinner ticket free for each application received by Sept. 16, 1963)

N. B. Reservation by attached application only. Designate type and number of tickets desired; and choice of Prime Rib of Beef or Lobster. Reserve tickets may be picked up at Conclave . Ladies and Guests assemble on Second floor at 6:00 P. M.

Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr. , Recorder Harold F. W. Hodgson, Commander

Sir Knights:

As my farewell message as your Commander I wish to thank the Past Commanders, Officers, and Sir Knights for all their help and assistance. It was a pleasure serving you, and it will be a privilege to assist the Commandery in any way I can in the future.

Harold F. W. Hodgson, Commander

Sir Knights in Metropolitan Boston, convenient to 51 Boylston Street, owe an extra duty to our more distant members living many hundreds of miles from Boston, and yet loyally and proudly retaining membership in their Commandery year after year. We who reside locally must actively hold the fort for Templar Masonry here in Boston by producing new applications. Our roster shows the following Boston Commandery membership living outside the Commonwealth: N. H. 21, Florida 20, California 19, N. Y. 12, Conn. 11, Maine 10, Ohio and Penn. 6 each; Arizona and R. I. 5 each; Canada 4; North Carolina and N. J. 3 each; Delaware, Hawaii, Washington, and Washington D. C. 2 each; Alabama, Colorado, Iowa, N. D. , Texas, Vt. , Wisconsin, Wyoming, British Guiana, and Guatamala one each, making a total of 143!

If any Sir Knight knows of the illness or distress of any member, please promptly notify your Commander, or Em. Sir Charles Harrington, 69 Westminster Avenue, Arlington 74.

The unselfish efforts of our Past Commanders in preserving the heritage of Boston Commandery will be suitably acknowledged with our first full class of candidates this Templar year. It should be a satisfying experience for every new candidate, and a reminiscent experience for every Sir Knight. Our Past Commanders' Committee is under the able direction of Rt. Em. Sir R. G. Wilson, Jr.

Sir Knight Gordon S. Borek, Commander Elect.

FINANCIAL : As of August 31, 1963, only 72 Sir Knights out of 1135 were in arrears for a total of \$962.00 compared with 47 Sir Knights owing \$692.00 on August 31, 1962, and 60 owing \$901.00 on August 31, 1961.

COMING EVENTS:

November 13. York Rite Night. Bring a candidate from your Blue Lodge
December 12. Aleppo Shrine Ceremonial

WANTED

A Boston Commandery Notice for January, 1958; also, a notice for December, 1958.

TEAR OFF AND MAIL

R. G. Wilson, Jr. , Recorder Boston Commandery, K. T. , 51 Boylston St. , Boston
For Dinner At Steuben's Vienna Room on September 18.

1. I desire ticket @ \$2.50 for myself, or tickets for myself & lady @ \$4.00 per couple or guest tickets @ \$5.00 Total tickets. CHECK ENCLOSED
2. I have an application, and desire one free ticket.
3. I prefer Prime Roast Beef , or Lobster CHECK CHOICE.

RESERVED TICKETS DISTRIBUTED ON SEPTEMBER 18, IN IONIC HALL.

NAME -----

ADDRESS -----

BOSTON COMMANDERY
KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

51 Boylston Street

Boston 16, Massachusetts

Dear Sir Knight:

There is a night coming up that you will not want to miss. On Wednesday evening, 18 September 1963, we shall greet our new line of officers at our annual installation and follow with a LADIES NIGHT. By so doing we can share with our ladies the joy and happiness you receive as a Knight Templar.

We have engaged the renowned Vienna Room of Steubens, which is adjacent to the Masonic Temple, for your enjoyment at a fraction of their banquet menu cost of \$5.25 per person. Steubens shall provide a FLOOR SHOW and ORCHESTRA along with their excellent food. The entire facilities shall belong to Boston Commandery for the evening of 18 September 1963.

Your Commandery has arranged for a menu of your choice, consisting of:

ROAST PRIME RIBS OF BEEF AU JUS
or
BROILED 1 LB. LIVE LOBSTER

To assure the success of the evening, reservations must be made NOW. No tickets shall be sold at the door and reservations shall be filled on a first come, first served basis, up to the capacity of the Vienna Room. Please forward your remittance prior to 14 September, along with your menu choice, to LADIES NIGHT care of the above address. Tickets shall be distributed at Ionic Hall the evening of the Installation.

Sir Knight of Boston Commandery.....	\$ 2.50
Sir Knight and his Lady (couple).....	4.00
Guests.....	5.00

As an added bonus to the Sir Knights of Boston Commandery a FREE dinner ticket shall be given to each Sir Knight who presents a signed application, accompanied by a check, to the Commander prior to 16 September 1963.

Your attendance shall provide for an evening of enthusiasm and good fellowship, assuring support for continued activities within our Commandery.

Sincerely and Fraternally,

Harold F. W. Hodgson
Commander

Every Christian Mason Should Be a Knight Templar

Our annual York Rite Night will take place on Wednesday, November 13, 1963. The Master of Ceremonies will be our own Past Grand Commander, Rt. Em. Sir Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr., assisted by the Past Commanders, Officers and Guards. Our Officers and Guards are going to put on INSPECTION AND REVIEW for the occasion. Bring a Master Mason or Companion with you so that they may gain a fuller understanding of Templar Masonry and emulate your example by continuing their Masonic Education in the Christian Rite. A collation will take place at the conclusion with a barber shop quartet entertaining us during the evening.



Entrance of our late Rt. Em. Grand Commander William West.
All Masonic Night Boston Garden

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Wednesday, October 16, 1963 at 5:45 p.m.

"An agreeable companion on a journey is as good as a carriage" Publilius Syrus

Reading of Records -Election Trustees Anniversary Endowment Fund- Ballot on Candidates

NO WORK

The theme of this conclave will be PROJECT CHALLENGE. Our Past Commanders will offer a friendly competition with the membership, in that they feel that their group can secure more petitions for the Orders in 1963-64 than our total Sir Knights can, and they are planning to propose ground rules for the competition.

Come out and be an animated part of this very worthy competition.

Dinner served by Dora Ferguson at 6:30 p.m.

Entertainment by enjoyable barbershop quartets, "The Roaring Twenties", followed by the comedy routine "The Village Choir"

Members \$1.50 - Reservation by Card Only - Guests \$3.00

Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr. Recorder Gordon S. Borek, Commander

COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

It is with great pleasure and humility that I accept the leadership of Boston Commandery. To the Past Commanders, Guards, Members of the Red Cross Team and Sir Knights my sincere appreciation for the trust you have shown in me. I fully realize the responsibility you have placed upon my shoulders, and shall strive to the utmost to justify your faith.

A Commander and his Officers cannot properly perform the duties of their offices without the help and loyal support of all the Sir Knights. Our Commandery cannot show a healthy growth without each Sir Knights assuming his part in its activities. To those Sir Knights who would like to take an active role, I request that you contact one of our Officers and he will see that you are properly outfitted. To the other Sir Knights, I ask that you encourage your Officers by regular attendance and the securing of new petitions for membership. Our next class commences in November; bring your candidate for the class, as my guest, to dinner with the Sir Knights in October and let him observe fellowship in Templary at work.

Our first Ladies Night was a huge success. Your newly elected Officers could sense the prevailing spirit of enthusiasm, friendliness and good fellowship. Enthusiasm for progress can become contagious. Let us all get enthusiastic about Boston Commandery and Templar Masonry. Let us all get on the move and prove that Boston Commandery will not fall down on the job of preserving its heritage.

Your Commander and Officers look forward to having the opportunity of expressing their appreciation in a manner which will be pleasing for all.

Fraternally and enthusiastically,

Gordon S. Borek
Commander

Rehearsal of Officers and Guards for York Rite Night Inspection and Review on Friday, November 8, 1963 at 6:45 p.m. Meet at the Armory for dinner at 5:30 p.m. All are urged to be present and take part.

If any Sir Knight knows of the illness or distress of any member, please promptly notify your Commander or Em. Sir Charles D. Harrington, 69 Westminster Avenue, Arlington 74.

Commander's Notes

Em. Sir Robert S. Andrews was installed as High Priest of St. Andrews Chapter

Em. Sir Charles D. Harrington was installed as High Priest of Menotomy Chapter

Em. Sir James C. Bayley was elected national Supreme Vice-Chancellor of the Knights of Pythias

Sir Knight Charles Winchester was installed as Master of Massachusetts Lodge

Sir Knight Frank E. Brown was elected President of the Presiding Councils Club

Sir Knight George W. Hemenway was elected President of Massachusetts Society of the Sons of the American Revolution

Your Commander was exceedingly pleased to welcome back Sir Knights Rowland D. Crook, Harold A. Horn and George W. Hemenway at our September conclave after their siege of illness this past summer.

Sir Knight Wm. Neilson is a patient at the Storrow Convalescent Hospital in Lincoln following a heart attack. While Em. Sir Hans Kleeman has been transferred to the Bay View Nursing Home on Sturgis Street in Winthrop. Remember these shut-ins with your prayers and cards.

Your Commander will look forward to expressing the October birthday greetings of Boston Commandery to each pertinent Sir Knight by presenting him with a birthday carnation at our conclave.

COMMANDER'S NOTES

Congratulations to Em. Sir James C. Bayley who was appointed at the Grand Commandery Conclave as Grand Captain of the Guard and to his appointed Warder, Em. Sir Robert S. Andrews.

Congratulations also to Em. Sir Franklin W. L. Miles, who was elected President of the Massachusetts and Rhode Island Association of Past Commanders.

Your Commander salutes Rt. Em. Sir Robert G. Wilson, Jr. for his untiring efforts to bring the Shrine Childrens' Hospital for Burns to Boston.

Sir Hugh S. Conaughty is presiding as High Priest of St. Matthews Chapter.

Sir Jacob R. Hagopian appeared well and rested after his confinement at the New England Baptist Hospital. Sir Charles H. Shalabey was hospitalized in Florida for four months this past Winter and in returning under a physician's orders, states he will always be with his Commandery in Templar spirit, if not in body.

Em. Sir Wm. M. Heiligmann is convalescing in the Palmer Building of the Deaconess Hospital. Sir Knight Wm. Neilson has been transferred to the Hollywell Nursing Home on No. Main Street in No. Randolph. Sir Leonard G. Click of Hyde Park is seriously ill at his home. Sir Robert B. Wilton is recuperating from an operation and looks forward to resuming his post as Captain of the Guard at our next conclave. Remember these faithful Templars with your prayers and cards.

Sir Clyde A. Tyler, who was responsible for our outstanding notices for many years, has retired to Maine. Your patience is requested as your Commandery seeks to make another printing association with one who will emulate his fine example.

Our annual YORK RITE FESTIVAL will take place on Wednesday, November 13, 1963 at 7:45 P.M. Plan to attend and bring a Master Mason or Companion with you.

Please report any Sir Knight known to be ill or in distress to your Commander or Em. Sir Charles D. Harrington, 69 Westminster Avenue, Arlington 74.

Your Hospitality Committee looks forward to expressing the November birthday greetings of Boston Commandery to each pertinent Sir Knight by presenting him with a birthday carnation at our conclave.

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YORK RITE NIGHT

Wednesday, November 13, 1963 in Ionic Hall at 7:45 P.M.

Sir Knights are requested to make a special effort to bring a prospective candidate from your Blue Lodge or Chapter.

STATED CONCLAVE OF BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

will be held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, 51 Boylston St., Boston

Wednesday, November 20, 1963 at 5:15 P.M.

"RESPECT IS WHAT WE OWE: LOVE IS WHAT WE GIVE."

Reading of Records

Ballot on Candidates

Past Commanders' Class

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

Em. Sir Robert S. Andrews as Sovereign Master

Em. Sir James S. W. Rogers as Zerubbabel

followed by the Order of Malta

under the direction of Em. Sir Frankland W. L. Miles,
assisted by Sir Kt. Kenneth A. Tweedie

Dinner served by Dora Ferguson at 6:15 P.M.

Entertainment by our own Sir John G. Miles

Members \$1.50

Reservation by Card Only

Guests \$3.00

Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr. Recorder

Gordon S. Borek, Commander

Rehearsal of Officers and Guards for York Rite Night

Inspection & Review - Friday, November 8, 1963

Rehearsal of the Red Cross Team on Monday, November 18, 1963

Meet at the Armory for dinner at 5:30 P.M. Rehearsals will start promptly at 6:45 P.M. All are urged to be present and take part.

In Knightly Remembrance.

"Thou shalt show me the path of life; in Thy presence is the fullness of joy, and at Thy right hand there is pleasure for evermore."

<u>Sir Knight</u>	<u>Born</u>	<u>Knighted</u>	<u>Died</u>
Albert E. Roberts	11-22-76	2-9-05	10-22-63
Charles W. Wyman	11-5-94	5-20-25	9-23-63
Carl S. Nelson	12-9-91	5-23-56	10-17-63

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS OFFERING AND GOOD CHEER

Templary is the new Testament of Masonry. As Christian Knights we have a duty to help the less fortunate. During the joyous Christmas Season it has become the established custom in this, the greatest of all Christian Orders, for each Sir Knight to forward to his Commandery a Holiday contribution to assure some measure of good cheer and good will through our efforts for the lonely Knight, the destitute widow, the help-less orphan. Each Sir Knight financially able to contribute \$1.00 or more, will surely experience that special Christmas joy that comes with the knowledge that he has helped bring some measure of Yuletide spirit and good cheer and has helped to spread the joy of Christmas outside his own home. This fund is annually expended, under the direction of the Eminent Commander, for the purpose of bringing some measure of happiness into the hearts and homes of the sick, the distressed, the needy, and the deserving.

Please return your offering PROMPTLY in the enclosed envelope to Gordon S. Borek, Boston Commandery, 51 Boylston St., Boston, for direct distribution under his direction. If you know of some worthy case please contact the Commander promptly.

Some of our Sir Knights must read our notices. Sir Kt. Albert C. Rigby writes that we failed to include Illinois among the areas outside the Commonwealth where we have at least one of our membership residing. There are 144 living outside Massachusetts. N. H. leads with 21, Florida is next with 20, and California 19.

Are you interested in comparative fraternal membership? At present the records show: Freemasons 4,216,352 Odd Fellows 1,384,366; Elks 1,200,000; Moose 1,020,424; Knights of Columbus 1,087,671; shrine 830,000; Eagles 745,000; Woodman of the World 427,000; and B'Nai B'rith 400,000.

At the Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of Mass. & R.I. there were 14,663 Knights Templar reported as the present membership in this jurisdiction. Figures disclosed startling information that there were 46 more Sir Knights died during the past Templar year than were knighted! The net loss of 254 was the largest in over 20 years.

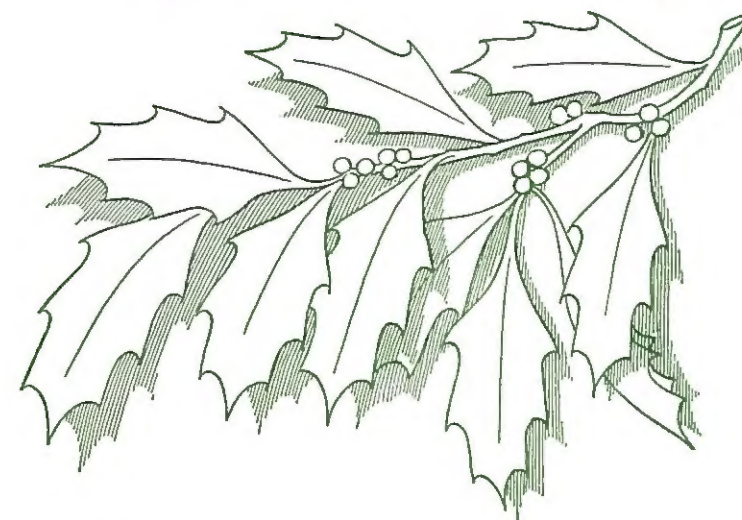
For the information of Sir Knights unable to attend the Annual Conclave of Boston Commandery in September, total funds at the close of the year amounted to \$387,828.73 market value; deaths during the year 37; membership as of September 1, 1963 totalled 1133. The attendance at our installation ceremonies was 339.

Sir Knights: A very sincere and grateful Thank You from your Commandery to the following Sir Knights who have so very generously responded already to our Templar Christmas Cheer Appeal. Forward further checks to the Eminent Commander before December 20th.

Anon. (7)	Duby, J. R.	Laundrie, W. D.	Schwamb, L. H.
Albo, J. H.	Dwyer, M. R.	Libby, R. V.	Shallna, O. A.
Allen, C. N.	Eaton, J. E.	Linnell, C. W.	Simonian, P. G.
Anderson, H. S.	Ellis, M. P.	Linscott, C. M.	Skinner, C.
Austin, M.	Fagone, S.	Loeb, E. L.	Smith, C.
Bates, R. E.	Farnham, L. P.	Lorey, A. H.	Sodergren, A. J.
Bayley, J. C.	Farrar, R. M.	MacFarlane, J.C.	Sodergren, H.
Bell, A. B.	Feneley, J. W.	MacLean A.	Staffon, A. H.
Bell, S. F.	Fudge, A. S. Jr	MacLeod, F. A.	Statham, B. E.
Benvie, F. W.	Gagosian, V. R.	MacOdrum H.	Stewart, H. G.
Bieren, W.	Georgian, P. J.	Magnus, A. A.	Strout, C. D.
Bird, B. R.	Gibbons, G. W.	Maheris, J. J.	Stryker, J. P.
Bishop, E. C.	Gibby, F. S.	Manley, W. O.	Sweedy, H. J.
Blake, A. C.	Gillespie, B.	Mayall	Swide, A. G.
Blazo, R. E. Sr	Goodman, F. L.	McCormick, R. W.	Tate, E. V.
Borek, G. S.	Gordon, B. M.	McNeilly, S. N.	Thompson, R. G.
Boynton, G. D.	Grabert, W. F.	Meikle, J.	Thorburn, R.
Boyden, R. W.	Griffin, R. K.	Metzalf, M. O.	Torrey, G. A.
Bowering, S.	Haak, V. K.	Miles, F. W. L.	Treco, F. S.
Bowers, R. S.	Hagopian, J. R.	Miles, H. F.	Tsacoyeanes, P. W.
Bradshaw, R. A.	Hahn, M. J.	Morrison, A. W.	Turner, C. B.
Brigham, P. A.	Hamer, M. C.	Morrison, H. G.	Tyler, C.
Brown, F. E.	Hansen, E. E.	Morrison, W. L.	Tyler, R. A.
Bruce, A. M.	Harper, R. C.	Neilson, A. D.	Tweedie, K. A.
Boudrot, A. G.	Hasker, C. H.	Nochella, B. R.	Vellela, A. W.
Budreau, H. A.	Hayes, F. R.	Nourse, W.	VonKapff, G. R. S.
Camer, A. A.	Haugland, J.R.M.	Nyquist, R. P.	Wadman, H. T.
Cameron, A. R.	Heath, G. L.	Ollerhead, S.	Walquist, C. H.
Campbell, S. W.	Heidrich, H. E.	O'Brien, H. C.	Ward, G. A.
Campbell, W.L.W.	Heiligmann, F. R.	Odell, W. A.	Wentworth, D. H.
Carey, R. F.	Hibbard, L.	Peabody, N. J.	Williams, R. A.
Carter, F. D.	Hodgson, H. F.	Pedersen, C. E.	Wilson, R. G. Jr.
Cederstrom, S. V.	Hollis, D. W.	Perrin, H. S.	Wilson, R.G. III
Chandler, M. E.	Holmes, A.	Perry, H. R.	Winchester, C.
Charlton, G. L.	Horn, F. H.	Phillips, W. C.	Wing, W. M.
Chausse, R. D.	Horn, H. A.	Pickell, A. E.	Winterle, F. J.
Ciccione, A. S.	Huff, J. W.	Poor, G. M.	Wolley, S. R.
Clark, J.	Inman, G. H.	Pugni, L.	Woodworth, J. W.
Coates, G. L.	Justice, D.	Reser, O. O.	Wright, R.
Conaughty, H. S.	Johnston, D. M.	Rhodes, H.P.M.	Wright, H. W.
Costa, J.	Johnson, F.	Robinson, E. W.	Zeolla, G. E.
Covert, W. S.	Jones, G.	Rogers, J.S.W.	Zepp, E.
Cowing, W. T.	Kammler, W. F.	Rohrbacher, F. H.	Zolner, J.
Crawford, W. H.	Kierstead, C.	Ronbeck, J. E.	Illegible (1)
Crook, R.	Kleeman, H. C.	Rosenberger, H.	
Currier, F. E.	Kundert, F. L.	Ross, W.	
Danforth, H. E.	Kennedy, J. T.	Ryan, F. W.	
Danner, W. A.	Kenny, M. E.	Sagle, F. R.	
Davis, R. E.	Keumarian, C. G.	Salmonson, P. A.	
Demeter	Keumarian, H.	Sanborn, R. W.	
Dewey, W. F.	King, A. E.	Santoro, J.	
Dingwell, S. G.	Krikarian, V.	Sarnow, F.W.Jr.	
Dodd, F. E.	Laird, J.	Saville, L. B.	
Dole, R. C.	Lane, J. A.	Shiels, J.	
Downie, G. W.	Lang, R.	Schlaugh, G.A.	
Drew, C.			

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"BLESSED IS HE THAT CONSIDERETH THE POOR".....

Reading of Records
Report of Nominating Committee & Subsequent Election
Report of Ladies' Night Committee
Ballot on Candidates
NO WORK

Christmas Dinner Served by Seiler's at 6:30 p.m.
Camel's Milk served by Sir Knight Robert B. Wilton.
Entertainment by the Walter Johnason Orchestra.
Each Sir Knight is requested to bring a \$1.00 gift to be distributed by our Santa Claus, Em. Sir James C. Bayley.
There will not be a rehearsal this month.

Members \$1.00 Reservation by Card Only Guests \$3.00
Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr., Recorder Gordon S. Borek, Commander
27 Reid Terrace, Swampscott

PAST COMMANDERS' CLASS

The Red Cross Team, under the capable direction of Past Commanders' Em. Sirs James C. Bayley and Howard L. MacOdrum, commenced our Past Commanders' Class with an impressive portrayal of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross. Two of our Past Commanders', EM. Sirs Robert S. Andrews and James S. W. Rogers performed in an excellent manner the roles of the Sovereign Master and Zerubbabel, respectively, the latter after a span of 37 years. The Order of the Malta was under the direction of another Past Commander, Em. Sir Frankland W. L. Miles. Your Commander wishes to thank all who participated in making the initial part of our Past Commanders' Class a splendid success. In January, the Past Commanders' shall knight our 10 candidates as the Order of the Temple is rendered. Sir Knights, plan to come out, view the proceedings and reminisce with the Past Commander who knighted you.

Every Christian Mason Should be a Knight Templar

Our annual York Rite Night took place on Wednesday, November 13, 1963. The evening was a superb success, as illustrated by the fact that three Brethren requested petitions for membership after a stirring speech from our Master of Ceremonies, Rt. Em. Sir Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr. Our Officers and Guards put on Inspection and Review in an outstanding manner, which would have earned plaudits at our Inspection. Your Commander appreciates your outstanding work. Em. Sir James C. Bayley, in a display of his untiring Commandery efforts, has prepared a listing of all Brethren who made reservations and/or attended. These lists are available to all of our Sir Knights. Please make a special effort to come forward and offer your assistance in preserving our heritage by meeting the challenge of the quota set forth by the Grand Commandery. What a fine Christmas gift for your Commandery.

Our next Class commences in February and we are looking forward to your continuing support.

In Knightly Remembrance

"I am the resurrection and the life, saith the Lord; he that believeth in Me, though he were dead, yet shall he live: and whosoever liveth and believeth in Me, shall never die."

Sir Knight	Born	Knighthood	Died
Wm. M. Heiligmann	9/1/91	5/18/25	11-10-63
Amos W. Crooks	2/14/90	6/18/13	11-20-63
Charles F. Giles	1/30/09	1/17/51	11-9-63

Commander's Notes

Boston Commandery is proud of the 26 Sir Knights who were in attendance at a Special Conclave to conduct Templar funeral services for our late Past Commander Em. Sir Wm. H. Heiligmann on Tuesday, November 12, 1963 at the A. E. Long Funeral Home.

Your Commander wishes to express his sincere gratitude to the 12 uniformed Sir Knights who volunteered to participate in the centennial celebration parade and church service of Old Colony Commandery, which was cancelled in respect to our deceased President.

Congratulations to our Rt. Em. Sir Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr., Sir Knight Frank S. Treco and Sir Knight Louis A. Treco for receipt of their 50-year Veteran's Medals from Joseph Webb Lodge, A.F. & A.M.

Please cooperate with your Membership Committee by forwarding your Chapter and Blue Lodge notices to Em. Sirs James C. Bayley and/or Frankland W. L. Miles.

Our first Ladies Night proved an enjoyable evening for all. Your Commandery has tentative plans on February 29, 1964 at the Hampshire House for an unusual and enjoyable sequel to that evening. Watch this column and plan to attend the January conclave for further details.

Sir Knight Richard P. Bessom is serving as Worshipful Master of Fraternity Lodge, A.F. & A.M.

It means so much to be remembered. Show our Templar spirit by taking a moment and sending a card during this Christmas Season to our ill and convalescing Sir Knights.

Leonard G. Click, 135 Dana Avenue, Hyde Park
William Neilson, Hollywell Nursing Home, No. Randolph
Hans Kleeman, Bay View Nursing Home, Winthrop
Ralph D. Joslin, U.S. VA. Centre, 206-15-204 Togus, Maine

We are short of substitute guards for our lines. Those interested please contact the Commander or Council Officers for a uniform and assignment.

There were 106 dinner reservations made for our November conclave and 126 in attendance. I implore you to send in your reservation, if you plan to attend, so that each Sir Knight may receive his fair share.

Please report any Sir Knight known to be ill or in distress to your Commander or Em. Sir Charles D. Harrington, 69 Westminster Avenue, Arlington 74.

Your Hospitality Committee looks forward to expressing the December birthday greetings of Boston Commandery to each pertinent Sir Knight by presenting him with a birthday carnation at our conclave.

Commander's Christmas Message

Christmas comes to renew our lives as we celebrate the birthday of the Great Captain of our Salvation. Our Order is bound around His life which makes our work as Knights Templar really His work. At Christmastime when we are filled with the spirit of giving, is the time to resolve to give more of ourselves, our time and effort to this service -- because this great Christian Order is not just another Masonic body, but must stand out at the top of the Masonic structure.

Christmas offers us the opportunity to pause in our earthly struggle and to gather together to give thanks to Him we worship as the Great Captain of our Salvation. At the Tremont Temple in Boston on 22 December at 6:45 p.m., the Sir Knights are requested to appear in uniform, where possible, and they shall gather at Lorimer Hall in the Tremont Temple promptly at 6:30 p.m. May we all join together on this evening and pray for the day "when the reign of the Blessed Emmanuel, the Prince of Peace, the Great Captain of our Salvation shall become universal and eternal."

Christmas is twice-blessed when we share it with others. The Sir Knights of Boston Commandery performed a deed of pure beneficence in true Templar tradition by their response to our appeal for the annual offering to the Christmas Cheer fund. As Commander, I wish to thank each and every one of you for your assistance in providing for our fellowman who may be less fortunate than we.

The Officers and I extend to you and your families our most sincere and best wishes for a joyous and blessed Christmas season. Our prayers are that you may go through the coming year in good health and walk in peace with God and your fellowman.